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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace paragraph [0079] with the following amended paragraph:

Then, the ladder-shaped partition units 16 partition the discharge space S between the front glass substrate [[13]] 14 into quadrangular areas each corresponding to the paired transparent electrodes X1a and Y1a in each row electrode pair (X1, Y1) to form discharge cells C3.